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its advancement on personal grounds. Please clarify the position so that there may be no confusion about it. Nothing is certain. Let the press need not publish anything about this, in order to save their own interest, because nothing is certain.

9-30 A.M.

Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA.—16th is the last day and let it be taken on that day and we will close on that day.

Mr. DEPUTY SPEAKER .- I hope the Hon'ble Members agree.

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Then Sir, there were certain interpellations of the Leader of the House that were held-over. They have not yet been listed so far. They may also be listed, so that they may come upon that day.

Member's Representation

tsri S. SIVAPPA.—There is another issue before the House Sir. The Hon'ble Chief Minister has issued some notices to Ministers, Ex-Ministers and Presidents and so on, Now, as the Chief Minister, he has written letter. To fulfil the object of the letter, ie., to assess the value of assets of a particular person as to what he was before 1947 and what he is to day, that is the essence of that letter. To achieve this objective. I think, a more letter by the Chief Minister will have absolutely no To achieve that end, if the Government is sincere, if the Hon'ble Chief Minister is sincere, I request him to let me know, under what rule of law or provisions of Constitution, he has issued that letter. The very validity of that letter is now under question. I want to know. through you Sir, and request the Chief Minister to clarify under what provisions of law that letter has been issued to various persons and what is the legal status of that letter? If his intention is to give a real statutory status to that letter, even then, I request the Hon'ble Speaker, to direct the Chief Minister and allow this House to move a special resolution to appoint a Special Tribunal or an Enquiry Commission, to enquire into the contents of this letter. If the letter is found to be purposeful, immediately you have to constitute a Commission of Enquiry and this issue must be referred to that Commission. As it is the letter has no value and nothing will come out of it. I again request you to evolve a special procedure to assess the assets of Minister, Ex-Ministers and various other persons. This issue has arisen out of the statement made by the Chief Minister that he is going to take action to assess the assets in this House. Anyhow a formula has to be evolved, as to whether the Chief Minister himself is going to constitute a Commission of Enquiry or the House is competent to do it. I therefore request you Sir, to evolve a special procedure to appoint a special Tribunal or Commission of Enquiry for this purpose.

- Sri L. SRIKANTIAH (Nanjangud).—I fully endorse what my hon'ble friend Mr. Sivappa has stated. My experience is that when Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru attempted to know the assets and liabilities, except Panditji himself, no one volunteered to submit the statement of assets and liabilities. Then the question arises, whether the issuing a memorandum or notice by Chief Minister to Ministers and other persons, will serve any purpose, as there is no legal binding or statutory duty caste upon them to furnish the information on this notice.
- Sri B. D. JATTI.—It is wrong, Sir. Number of us have submitted statements.
- Sri L. SRIKANTIAH.—That has been given by the A.I.C.C. There is another difficulty, that is, to know whether there is any prima facie case or not. On the other hand if a Statutory Committee is appointed, it is for the judge to find out whether there is any prima facie case or not. If this matter is to be decided by the Hon'ble Chief Minister, it becomes purely a personal matter. If the Enquiry Committee is appointed then two to three people can also join together, just like in Soviet Russia. The Committee can take affidivit from the persons and can enquire into it and decide the matter. Therefore, I request that before we disperse at the end of the present session, a resolution be passed in this House to the effect that a Statutory Commission be appointed to enquire into the assets of Ministers ex-Ministers and others.
- Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA.—This matter came up before this House, and just before three days I have made statement to that effect. My friend will kindly look into the proceedings of this House. Let me get the information and on the strength of the information I will decide it. Let us receive the replies to the notices first and I will take the House into confidence in this matter.

ಉಪಾಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ಮಾನ್ಯ ನದಸ್ಯರು ತಮ್ಮ ಮೇಲೆ ಅಪಾದನೆಸುನ್ನು ಈ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾಡಿಲ್ಲ, ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬಂದಿರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ನಾವೇನು ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ, ನಮ್ಮ ಜವಾ ಬ್ದಾರಿ ಏನಿದೆ 1

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಭಾಸ್ಕರ ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ.—ಅದಕ್ಕೇ ನಾನು ಹೇಳುವದು.

ಉಪಾಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು. ೨೮ ರೀತಿ ಮಾಡಿರುವ ಅಪಾರನೆಗಳು ಏನಾದರೂ ಇದ್ದರೆ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಮುಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಉತ್ತರ ಹೇಳುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಅದೆಲ್ಲದೇ ಇನ್ನೂ ಏನಾದರೂ ಹೇಳುವುದು ಇದ್ದರೆ ಪೋಲೀಸ್ ಇಲಾಖೆಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಬೇಡಿಕೆ ಬರುತ್ತದ, ಆಗ ಮಾತನಾಡಲು ಅವಕಾಶ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಭಾಸ್ಕರ ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ.—ಫೋಲೀಸ್ ಡಿಮ್ಯಾಂಡ್ ಮೇಲೆ ಮಾತನಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ನನಗೆ ಅವಕಾತ ಸಿಕ್ಕುವುದಿಲ್ಲ, ನನಗೆ ಗೊತ್ತು, ಒಂದೇ ಒಂದು ನಿಮಿಷದಲ್ಲಿ ಹೇಳಿ ಮುಗಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ, ಅವರು ಮಾಡಿದ ಅಫಾದನೆಗಳಲ್ಲ ಒಂದು ಅಂಶವನ್ನಾದರೂ ಕೂಡ ಅವರು ಪ್ರೂವ್ಮಾಡಿದರೆ ನಾನು ಈ ಮನೆಯ ನದನ್ಯತ್ಪಕ್ಕೆ ರಾಜಿನಾಮೆ ಕೊಡುವುದು ಅಲ್ಲದೇ ನನ್ಯಾಸಿಯಾಗಿ ಹೊರಟು ಹೋಗುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಇಲ್ಲದೇ ಇದ್ದರೆ ಅವರು ಹೋಗಬೇಕು ಎಂದು ಹೇಳು ತ್ರೇನೆ.

(Interruptions)

Mr. DEPUTY SPEAKER .- Hon'ble Minister for Food will reply to the Debate.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಹೆಚ್ ರಂಗನಾಥ್ (ಮೂಡಗೆರೆ). —16 ನೇ ತಾರೀಖ ಈ ಮನೆಸು ಕಾರ್ಯ ಕರಾಹಗಳು ಮುಗಿಯುತ್ತದೆಯೋ ಎನ್ನುವುದು ನಿಶ್ಚಿತವಾಗಿ ಗೊತ್ತಾಗಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಇನ್ನು ಕ್ಟೋ ಆಪರೇಷನ್, ಹೋಮ್, ಮುನಿಸಿಪರ್ ಅಡ್ಡಿ ನಿಶ್ಚ್ಪೇಷನ್ ಡಿಮ್ಯಾಂಡ್ಸ್ ಮತ್ತು ಅಪ್ರೋಪ್ತಿಯೇಷನ್ ಬಿರ್ ಇವು ಮುಗಿಯಬೇಕಾಗಿವೆ.

ಉಪಾಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು. __ಇಪೊತ್ತು ಬಿಸಿನನ್ ಅಡ್ವೈನರಿ ಕಮಿಟಿ ಮೀಟಿಂಗ್ ಕರೆವಿದ್ದೇವೆ. We will decide it.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎನ್. ಹುಚ್ಚಮಾಸ್ತಿ ಗೌಡ (ಹುಲಯೂರುದುರ್ಗ)...ಶ್ರೀಮಾನ್ ಭಾನ್ಕರಶೆಟ್ಟಿರು ಪ್ರೊಸೀಂಡಿಗ್ಸ್ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲ ಯಾವುದೋ ತತ್ರಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲ ತಪ್ಪು ವರಧಿಯಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿ ದಾಗ ಪರ್ಸನರ್ ಎಕ್ಸ್ ತ್ಲನೇಷನ್ ಕೊಡುಬಹುದೇ ಹೊರತು ನಾವು ಏನೂ ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕಾ ಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದಿರಿ. ಹೇಗೆ ಅಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಈ ನಥೆಯಲ್ಲ ನಡೆವಳಿಕೆ ಏನು ನಡದಿದೆ, ಮತ್ತು ನರಿಯಾಗಿ ವರದಿ ಆಗದಿದ್ದರೆ, ತತ್ರಿಕೆ ಸಂಪಾದಕರನ್ನು ಕರೆಸಿ ಅಲ್ಲ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಿರುವುದು ಇಲ್ಲಿ ನಡವಳಿಕೆಗೆ ವಿರೋಧವಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಅಧಿಕಾರ ಇದೆ. ಹಾಗೆ ಮಾಡಿದ ಹೊರತು ಕ್ರಮವಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಆ ರೀತಿ ಮಾಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ತಮ್ಮ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ತರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಇಷ್ಟಪಡುತ್ತೇನೆ.

Mr. DEPUTY SPEAKER. - I will consider.

BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 1968-69-DEMANDS FOR GRANTS

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(Debate Continued)